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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, Office of Legislative Liaison

FROM: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Luncheon Meeting with Senator Goldwater, 1 February 1984

Had a very good lunch with Goldwater. He is very pleased with the way he says things are going out here, and very unhappy about the Intelligence Committees on the Hill, particularly HPSC1. He wants to take a real shot this year at getting a joint intelligence committee of eight members from each House - he has an idea he may be able to sell is to O'Neill and wants to try. The main objective would be to reduce number of staffers having access to information from 100 to 20 or so. Would not allow each member to have his own intelligence staff - probably nothing for us to do on this except to watch and encourage.

As we broke up he was going to the closed hearing on arms control violations where I heard did a super job of briefing members of both Houses in the closed session which would please Barry.

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